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AMENDMENT & REMARKS ACCOMPANYING REOUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION

Dear Sir:

This paper and the accompanying Request for Continued Examination (RCE) are being submitted in response to the Office Action dated September 9, 2008, having a shortened statutory period expiring on December 9, 2008 as well as the Advisory Action dated November 7, 2008. Further examination and reconsideration are respectfully requested in view of the amendments and remarks set forth below.

No Amendments to the Drawings are presented in this paper.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 6 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 29 of this paper.